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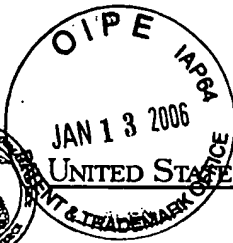
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## Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant

This application is a 371 of PCT/CA03/01191 08/11/2003

## Foreign Applications

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Non-Publication Request: No

Early Publication Request: No

Title

Innervated artificial tissues and uses thereof

**Preliminary Class**

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\_\_\_\_\_ is attached hereto.

X was filed on February 9, 2005 (with an International Application date of August 11, 2003) (Attorney Docket No. OSLER1100) as U.S. Application Serial No. 10/524,231 and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_ if applicable (the "Application").

I hereby authorize and request insertion of the application serial number of the Application when officially known.

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